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In re application of

DAVID A. FERRERA, ET AL.

Serial No. 10/664,001

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action dated June 28, 2006, setting a shortened statutory term for a response of three months.

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